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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

		Pur	uant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), an extension of time is requested as marked below:					
			ACTION FOR WHICH EXTENSION IS REQUESTED					
			Response to non-final office action mailed (timely and complete response not previously filed). Response to final office action mailed (application not placed in a condition for allowance by a previous timely filed response). Filing of Appellant's brief, notice of appeal dated .					
		□					this application conditioned on the granting of a filing date to ns containing nucleotide sequence and/or amino acid	
		EXTENSION REQUEST PERIOD AND FEE CALCULATION The period for taking the above-identified action without extension fees expired on 06/23/01. The period for taking the above-identified action has previously been extended (by the payment of the appropriate extension fee						
	nents		The requested extension period (and associated fee) One month § 1.17(a)	is:	\$		55.00 - small entity*	
			Two months § 1.17(b)		\$		195.00 - small entity* 390.00	
			Three months § 1.17(c)		\$		445.00 - small entity* 890.00	
Comm		::	Four months § 1.17(d)		\$		695.00 - small entity* 390.00	
		su • A	Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously ubmitted. A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 is enclosed. Ny additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 which may be due should be charged to deposit account no.					
		20-1469. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.						

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